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Claims

2 What is claimed and desired to be secured by Letters Patent is:

3 1. Cleaning equipment comprising a container for cleaning liquid, a
4 wringer mounted on or in the container, a partition element dividing the container
5 into a first compartment which, in use, receives liquid wrung out in the wringer and
6 a second compartment which, in use, receives cleaning liquid and a dirt receiving
7 element for receiving dirt settling from the cleaning liquid in use contained in the
8 second compartment.

9 2. Cleaning equipment as claimed in claim 1, wherein the partition
10 element has a part defining the base of the second compartment.

11 3. Cleaning equipment as claimed in claim 2, wherein said part of the
12 partition element is apertured.

13 4. Cleaning equipment as claimed in claim 3, wherein the dirt receiving
14 element is located below the said apertured part of the partition element.

15 5. Cleaning equipment as claimed in claim 4, wherein the dirt receiving
16 element is secured to the underside of said apertured part of the partition element.

17 6. Cleaning equipment as claimed in ~~any one of the preceding claims~~,
18 Claim 1, wherein the first and second compartments communicate with one another
19 via the dirt receiving element.

20 7. Cleaning equipment as claimed in ~~any one of the preceding claims~~,
21 Claim 1, wherein the partition element is removable from the container to facilitate
22 cleaning of the container.

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1 8. Cleaning equipment as claimed in ~~any one of the preceding claims;~~
2 Claim 1, wherein the form and structure of the dirt receiving element is a three-
3 dimensional fibrous mesh structure.

4 9. Cleaning equipment as claimed in claim 8, wherein the dirt receiving
5 element comprises a mat or pad or superposed mesh layers.

6 10. Cleaning equipment as claimed in claim 8, wherein the dirt receiving
7 element is a non-woven unitary mesh comprising a "jumble" of interlocking or
8 bonded fibres.

9 11. Cleaning equipment as claimed in ~~any one of the preceding claims;~~
10 Claim 1, wherein the dirt receiving element is a reusable unit which can be replaced
11 in the container after removal therefrom and washing out of the collected dirt.

12 12. Cleaning equipment as claimed in ~~any one of the preceding claims;~~
13 Claim 1, wherein the wringer is a basket-type wringer.

14 13. Cleaning equipment as claimed in ~~any one of the preceding claims;~~
15 Claim 1, wherein the container is a cleaning bucket for use with a hand-held
16 cleaning element or device.

17 14. Cleaning equipment as claimed in ~~any one of the preceding claims;~~
18 Claim 1, wherein the container is transparent.

19 15. Cleaning equipment substantially as hereinbefore described with
20 reference to the accompanying drawing.